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### **WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?**

#### **RESULTS**

Your results will be sent to you and your primary care provider within three weeks.



#### **NEXT STEPS**

Spots, also known as nodules are small lumps of tissue that many people have. Your next steps are determined by the size and appearance of any spots found on your scan. Depending on your results, you may require additional tests for us to look at an area more closely, this does not mean you have cancer.

Additional tests may include one or more of the following:

- Follow-up low-dose CT scan
- Lung biopsy

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## WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW

# IMPORTANCE OF REGULAR LUNG SCREENING

Screening works best when you receive regular scans to see if there are any new spots or changes to existing spots since your last scan. Even if you don't have any spots now, you may get them in the future. This is why it's important to return for lung screening when you're due.

Early detection has been shown to increase the chance of survival of those diagnosed with lung cancer by 20%.

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